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S 0040-B**GENERAL BILL by Burt (Identical H 0071-B)

Fla. Disaster Volunteer Leave Act; authorizes Governor & Cabinet to approve leave under act for services in response to disaster occurring within boundaries of United States. Amends 110.120. Effective Date: 11/30/2001.

10/30/01 SENATE Ordered enrolled

Signed by Officers and presented to Governor 11/30/01 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2001-352

H 0071-B GENERAL BILL by Kilmer; (CO-SPONSORS) Melvin; Maygarden; Cantens; Goodlette; Diaz de la Portilla; Johnson; Byrd; Fasano; Bowen; Atwater; Haridopolos; Pickens; Needelman; Jennings; Kottkamp; Holloway; Davis; Gibson; Trovillion; Alexander; Harrington; Ross; Paul; Brown; Hart; Waters; Dockery; Mahon; Harrell; Spratt; Sobel (Identical S 0040-B)

> Fla. Disaster Volunteer Leave Act; authorizes Governor & Cabinet to approve leave under act for services in response to disaster occurring within boundaries of United States. Amends 110.120. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

10/30/01 HOUSE Passed; YEAS 117 NAYS 0 -HJ 00024

10/30/01 SENATE In Messages

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S 0042-B**GENERAL BILL/CS by Banking and Insurance; Burt; (CO-SPONSORS) Mitchell (Similar H 0135-B)

> <u>Health Insurance/Military Persons</u>; specifies that termination of employment of employee during or after period of active military duty constitutes separate qualifying event for purposes of allowing employee to elect to continue coverage under employer's group health plan; tolls maximum time period for which coverage may be continued under employer's group health plan for individual who has elected coverage & who is called to active military duty, etc. Amends 627.6692. Effective Date: 11/30/2001.

10/30/01 SENATE Ordered enrolled

Signed by Officers and presented to Governor 11/15/01 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2001-353 11/30/01

H 0135-B GENERAL BILL by Waters (Similar CS/S 0042-B) Health Insurance/Military Persons; specifies that termination of employment of employee after period of active military duty constitutes separate qualifying event for purposes of allowing employee to elect to continue coverage under employer's group health plan; provides time period within which individual may elect to continue coverage under employer's group health plan after TRICARE coverage terminates, etc. Amends 627.6692. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

10/26/01 HOUSE Filed

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10/30/01 HOUSE Introduced -HJ 00049; Died, reference deferred,

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S 0036-B**RESOLUTION by Brown-Waite; (CO-SPONSORS) Silver; Holzendorf; Crist; Lawson; Jones; McKay; Burt; Campbell; Carlton; Clary; Constantine; Cowin; Dawson; Diaz de la Portilla; Dyer; Futch; Garcia; Geller; King; Klein; Latvala; Laurent; Lee; Meek; Miller; Mitchell; Peaden; Posey; Pruitt; Rossin; Sanderson; Saunders; Sebesta; Smith; Sullivan; Villalobos; Wasserman Schultz; Webster; Wise War Against Terrorism; expresses support for U.S. Government & President George W. Bush & our Armed Forces in war against terrorism; expresses sympathy for victims of September 11, 2001, terrorist attacks & their families & friends; salutes heroic actions of men & women who have struggled to rescue victims of attacks.

> 10/22/01 SENATE Introduced -SJ 00003; Read second time -SJ 00003; Adopted -SJ 00003

S 0108-B**RESOLUTION by Jones; (CO-SPONSORS) Wise; Laurent; Saunders; Dyer; Futch; Holzendorf; Miller; Meek; Smith; Campbell; Crist; Sanderson; Posey; Sullivan; Latvala; Lee; McKay; Brown-Waite; Burt; Carlton; Clary; Constantine; Cowin; Dawson; Diaz de la Portilla; Garcia; Geller; King; Klein; Lawson; Mitchell; Peaden; Pruitt; Rossin; Sebesta; Silver; Villalobos; Wasserman Schultz; Webster Rescue Workers/September 11; honors dedication of American rescue workers from many states of Union who responded to crisis following terrorist attacks of September 11, 2001 & expresses gratitude in particular to those who went to New York City, Washington, D.C., & Pennsylvania from Florida; recognizes September 11 of each year as "Florida Rescue Workers' Day." 10/30/01 SENATE Introduced -SJ 00067; Read second time -SJ 00067; Adopted; YEAS 40 NAYS 0 -SJ 00067

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